

FREE BRIDGE QUESTION AGAIN BEING REVIVED

Residents of Belle Vernon and Speers Think It is High Time Something Should be Done in the Matter of Vital Interest to Them

The question of the freeing of the Belle Vernon-Speers bridge is being revived again after having apparently died down after the meeting of the viewers on July 30th last. Nothing has been done in the matter, and it is evident that at least some of the viewers wish to have the matter dropped altogether. The residents of Speers and Belle Vernon are getting anxious about whether the bridge matter is to be taken up again at all. At the meeting in last July it was arranged that the viewers and their attorneys would come together again at Washington at a later date. This meeting for some reason was postponed, and the postponement is still in order. The place for a meeting to be held is on the ground where all parties concerned would see the evident need of freeing of the bridge, and the viewers could take action accordingly. Some of the citizens who were most interested at the convention in July are talking of again taking up the matter and have the attorneys, Alex. Tempelton of Washington and T. J. Jones of Uniontown call a meeting.

SAYS THERE IS MISUNDERSTANDING

Monongahela, Jan. 16. - Select Councilman John A. Smith, who was responsible for the information which resulted in the wholesale arrest of Monongahela's city fathers last night and who is himself among the councilmen charged with neglect of duty in connection with the failure to make improvements on Hillman street, today made a statement explaining his position in the matter. In part Mr. Smith says: "The suits have caused much misunderstanding. My object was not to bring the office holders to a realization of their duties or to hail them into court, but as a member of council and a citizen I felt it my duty to give the information as any good citizen should. I do not desire to secure damages, but want to see the street improved."

The improvement of Hillman street would be of considerable benefit to Mr. Smith as he is the owner of a coal bank to which this street is the direct route.

ATHENA CLUB IS MEETING TODAY

The Athena Club is meeting this afternoon in the rooms of the Merchants association. The program of the meeting which is being carried out follows. It is very interesting. The roll call will be answered by the names of historic trees. Conservation of Natural Resources - Mrs. Johnston; Scenic America - Mrs. McCloskey; Travelogues - Club members, beginning with "A Honey-moon Breakfast in Four States" - Mrs. Keffler.

LADIES PETITION FOR A RAILROAD STATION

The members of the Friday Afternoon club of California, have issued a petition to the Pennsylvania Railroad company to erect a new station at that place. California has a worse looking station than Charleroi but then it is a much smaller place than Charleroi, and does not need the accommodations that this place does.

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HISTORICAL OLD PIERS OF B. & O. "SHORT LINE" TO BE TORN DOWN

The historic old B. and O. piers which have been standing since '88 in the Monongahela river at Coal Center will be torn down by the government, work to begin on Monday. The government boat, the Theodore Swan, under Captain W. H. Shannon has been ordered there and will have charge of the work. The piers have been for a long time a hindrance to navigation and the rivermen are glad to see them removed. The piers as stated in the previous paragraph were built in the year 1888. It was at this time that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were making preparations for the "B. and O. short line" which was to extend from Connellsville to Washington, to cross, according to the plans, the river at this point. The piers were built, but at this juncture what was regarded as a better route, the Pittsburg to Wheeling, was purchased and that of the short line was abandoned. From a historical point of view many will view the disappearance of the piers with sorrow.

SURPRISE FOR MANY PATRONS

There was a surprise for many at the vaudeville show of Heaston and Vandergoult at the Turner hall last night. These two artists with a company of other performers who were stars in their particular lines gave an entertainment that was well worth the price of admission if not more.

Vandergoult gave an exhibition of mind reading that was well received. Mr. Heaston the chief balancer demonstrated his ability to balance numerous articles on his chin, from a small stick to a plow. He will balance an entire bedroom suite tonight. Harry Salt, and the Brown family of musicians were well received. Vandergoult's last act was the most entertaining. He escaped from a casket in a little less than five minutes. Besides this trick he got out of several pairs of handcuffs, the strait jacket, and when tied to a chair played several musical instruments. The entire show will be changed tonight.

NO POLO, SPECIAL EVENING FOR THE SCHOOLS

The Washington Polo team in the West Penn league will not be brought to Charleroi, say the directors of the Charleroi Amusement company which owns the rink. This statement was made this morning. The reason assigned is that basketball is proving too interesting a game, and it is feared that if polo would be brought here it would mean a decrease in interest in this game and consequently a decrease in the earnings of the rink.

DIVORCES OF FOUR FROM CHARLEROI

There were four divorces of couples from Charleroi yesterday at Washington. They are as follows: James M. Kibler vs. Lillie H. Kibler, adultery. Parties were married on June 26, 1902. Libellant resides at Charleroi. Joseph Finley Weir, of Charleroi vs. Sarah Haines Weir, cruel and barbarous treatment. May Gillingham Lloyd, of Charleroi, vs. James H. Lloyd, desertion and non support. Catherine Hilt, of Charleroi, vs. Conrad Hilt, cruel and barbarous treatment.

YOUNG CHARLEROI MAN DESIRES JURY TRIAL

Joseph Goshart, of Charleroi, has been arrested by Detective Wallace J. Hilton, of Monongahela, on a charge of assault and battery. The prosecutor is Florence Botters, who it is said, charges the man with having assaulted her with criminal designs. The man appeared before Alderman Day and demanded a jury trial. Six men will be empaneled to hear the case before Alderman Day at ten o'clock on next Wednesday morning.

Mrs. McMasters and daughter Edna are spending the day in Pittsburg.

GUM BOOTS

Misses' and Children's Gum Boots, just like cut. Sizes 5 to 10's - 10's to 2 for today and Monday only - 98 cents pair - Sample Shoe Store, 502 Fallowfield Avenue.

REWARD OFFERED BY DEPARTMENT

The postoffice department offers a reward of \$200.00 for the apprehension of the thieves who robbed the postoffice at Scenery Hill two weeks ago, and George Renshaw, whose store was robbed at the same time, offers an additional \$100.00.

Getting Real Cuffed.

Yessir-ee! The residents of this here burg are bent on making it a Greater Thrasher's Corners! We've asked Carnegie for a library, lake, or pipe-organ; Hiram Thrasher's bought him an automobile; our constable department is being investigated; Erry Skinner got a Black-hand letter day afore yesterday; and a ministers son wuz seen talkin' tew a "Uncle Tom's Cabin" actress right on a front street in broad daylight; an' to cap it all, Snowball Mokeby, who's a waitin' trial fer burglarizing two heneops is a-goin' tew plead emotional insanity! - Exchange.

FOOT WALK HAS BEEN OPENED TO PUBLIC

The Donora-Webster free bridge across the Monongahela river is now about completed and the footwalk has been thrown open to the public. The driveway is obstructed by machinery and material which have been attached by creditors of Robert Donseath, Son and Co., contractors of the construction. As soon as the attachments are removed the stuff on the bridge will be cleared away.

AS GUESTS OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEE

On Saturday afternoon, January 23, Mrs. J. A. McIlwaine, wife of the president judge of Washington county and Mrs. Emma Speer, juvenile court probation officers, are to be in Charleroi the guests of the local juvenile court committee. An open meeting will be held then to which the public is extended a cordial invitation. The place at which the meeting will be held has not been arranged as yet but will be decided upon later. Mrs. McIlwaine will be the principal speaker in the afternoon.

Announcement.

The Mail is authorized to announce the candidacy of Dr. R. W. Wolfe of Taylorstown for the office of Director of the Poor at the primary in June next. Dr. Wolfe is one of the best known residents of the county and in his home town where he is a practitioner he is especially popular. He has been one of the leading physicians of that place for the past 20 years and for the past 5 years has been physician of the children's home. By this he gained a ready knowledge of the workings of the institution. Dr. Wolfe has been an active worker of the Republican party, and has been chairman for his precinct for many years. If elected to the office he seeks to promises to devote the time and consideration it deserves.

COMMITTEE WORKING TOWN IN SYSTEMATIC MANNER

Body Having Charge of the Securing of Names on Petition For New Station Hard at Work and are Attaining Results--Meeting Next Tuesday

The committee of citizens consisting of George S. Night, chairman, Dr. Frank Crow, F. W. Jones, J. K. Hein, Harry Zellers, A. H. Furlong, Oscar Lynn, Frank Bly, A. S. Mansfield, George Moody and George Dawson for the securing of names on the petition to be sent to the proper officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad company for a new station in Charleroi is working systematically, and are getting along well. While they have not as yet any special report to make, the chairman states that the work is progressing well, and should by next Tuesday be finished. Messrs. Zellers and Crow have been assigned to the McKean avenue district; Hein and Lynn to Fallowfield avenue; Jones and Furlong to Washington avenue; Bly and Mansfield to Lincoln avenue; Moody and Dawson to Crest avenue and the hill. A meeting of the committee will be held next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. A report will be in from all and the petition will then be sent to the officials, probably at Philadelphia.

WORSHIP IN THE CHARLEROI CHURCHES

Episcopal.

Holy communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Morning prayer, anti communion service and sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Life is What We Make It." Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 p. m. Subject, "On The Law of God and of Man." Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

Methodist.

Sunday school 9.30. Sacred Overture by the Orchestra, "Beautiful Home of Paradise." Preaching at 10.45, subject of sermon, "The Way to Honor." Sermonette to the children, "Building Castles." Men's league at 2.30. Epworth league at 6.30. The evening service at 7.30 will be in charge of the Men's league. All are invited.

First Presbyterian

Morning subject "An Eccentric Man." Evening, "Saint With a Crooked Path." Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.45 o'clock, leader Miss Katherine McPherson. Junior Endeavor at 2 o'clock. Sunday school at 4.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Bible school at 9.45; preaching service at 11 and 7.30. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2.30; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor.

Lutheran

Services in Trust Company hall. Sunday school at 9.45. Divine worship at 11 and 7.30 o'clock. Junior Luther league at 2 o'clock. Leader, Ruth Heupel. Luther league at 6.30. Subject "Methods of Bible Study." Leader Ellis L. Richards. A cordial welcome to all.

Social.

A social was held last night at the home of Miss Mildred Lowstutter on Fallowfield avenue by the Epworth League of the Methodist church. A fine time was had by all, the evening being spent in various ways of amusement.

Miss Nellie Steele left last evening for Uniontown where she will spend Sunday.

Charles Fries has accepted a position as apprentice at Schafer's Jewelry establishment.

GOOD RESULTS FOR FIRST WEEK

The first week of the special Evangelistic services, being conducted at the First Christian church, by the Pastor, H. C. Boblitt, and song leader Clarence Hunter, have resulted in twenty-four accessions to the church. Every service has been fruitful of conversions, and in spite of the weather conditions an increasingly large congregation has been in attendance. Sunday's program will be as follows: Sunday 11 a. m., "The Foolish Husbandsmen." 2 p. m., meeting of men, subject, "The W of a Man." 7.30 p. m., subject, "What will you do with Jesus?" the evening service the ordinance of baptism will be administered to a number of converts.

The Protected Home Circle last night at their meeting in their hall in the Zollner building installed the officers elected recently for the ensuing year. They are as follows: Past president, Margaret Booth; president, Laura M. Eckels; vice president, Mina Brown; guardian, Mary Dunmire; secretary, Robert Craig; accountant, George Gundersman; treasurer, Elizabeth Riggle; chaplain, Bertha Blanchard; guide, Elizabeth Coats; companion, Emile Velletay; sentinel, Eugene Velletay; waceman, Charles Stroud; trustees, Bert Mitchell, John McIlwaine, and Frank Bly. After the business session a social session was held. During this hour dancing and games were indulged in. Lunch was served.

Homer Porter of Tarentum accepted a position here at the Pittsburgh Plate Glass works as draughtsman.

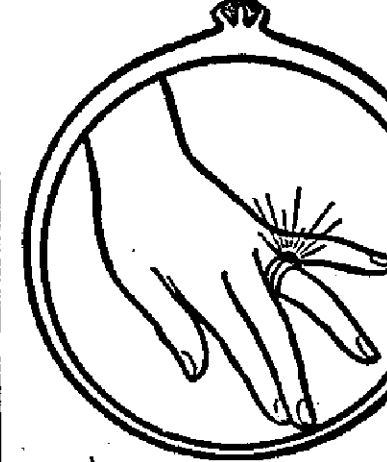
Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter, of McKean avenue and Seventh street last evening at their home entertained at six o'clock dinner. The affair was very pleasant. There were covers laid for 14. Mrs. Slaughter entertained her guests throughout the evening.

President Tendered Surprise.

Last evening the Ladies Aid society of the Christ Lutheran church gave a pleasant surprise to the newly elected president, Mrs. D. F. Worthington, at her home on McKean avenue. There were 35 members and friends present. As an expression of the love and esteem in which Mrs. Worthington is held she was presented with a handsome tankard and beautiful cream and sugar set. A delightful time was spent. Refreshments were served.

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Jan. 16 In History.

1794—Edward Gibbon, historian, au-
thor of "The Decline and Fall of
the Roman Empire," died; born
1737.

1807—Charles Henry Davis, rear ad-
miral, U. S. N., born in Boston;
died 1877.

1807—Joel T. Headley, the historian,
died; born 1813.

1806—General Christopher Colon Au-
gur, veteran of the Mexican and
civil wars, died in Washington;
born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 4:54, rises 7:17; moon rises
a. m.; moon's age 25 days.

Jan. 23 In History.

1516—Death of Ferdinand, consort of
Isabella and patron of Columbus.
1806—William Pitt, the younger, Brit-
ish statesman, died; born 1759. The
second William Pitt was the son of
Lord Chatham, the friend of
the American colonies. He entered
parliament at 22 and at 25 was
the most powerful subject in Eu-
rope.

1813—George Clymer, "signer" for
Pennsylvania, died; born 1739.
1806—Dr. Edward A. MacDowell, noted
American pianist and composer,
died in New York city; born 1800.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 5:03, rises 7:13; moon sets
7:15 p. m.; planet Mercury visible low
in the west after sunset.

GOOD EVENING.

This golden moment is ours to shape
as we please. The past is beyond
reaching; the future is not ours.—
Lymour.

Key Mergers and Systems

Electric Railway projects are many,
and some of the proposed ones are
being carried out, so that it looks as
if the future traffic of the country will
be largely by electricity. In the past
few years rapid strides have been
made in the electrifying of numerous
systems all over the country, and at
the present time there are more trolley
roads in the United States than one
could name in a day. The recent
merger of the Donora and Eldora com-
pany was an important one, more so
than would be at first thought. It
means the completion of a line in the
not very distant future of a loop from
Pittsburg, through McKeesport to
Irwin and West Newton, then to
Donora and to Eldora where it will
connect with the Pittsburg-Charleroi
line. This will make an immense
loop and the advantages will be mani-
fested.

There is talk of a line to be built
from Uniontown to Morgantown, and
the West Penn company's line to be
extended from Belle Vernon to Union-
town. This as will be readily seen
would increase the trolley traffic in
this part of the state and establish a
through service from Charleroi to
Morgantown. Then with the talk of
a line to be put through to Washing-
ton, and the one already completed
from there to the city of Pittsburg,
and the numerous lines along the three
rivers from the latter place, would if



FOR TAX COLLECTOR Of Charleroi G. W. Dawson

Subject to the decision of the
Republican voters at the
primary election Saturday,
January 23, 1909

G. W. Dawson, who seeks the Republican nomination for
tax collector for the Borough of Charleroi, has had a business
career which amply qualifies him for the position. He served
three years as clerk on the packet line between Pittsburg and
Morgantown, after which he was promoted to general agent at
the Pittsburg offices. He filed this position two years and was
again promoted, this time to superintendent of the line. After
a year's service in this capacity he was obliged to give up in-
door work on account of failing health. For the past three
years he has been located in Charleroi, where his family resided.
Mr. Dawson has always been a Republican and worked
for the interests of the party and good citizenship. If nomi-
nated and elected he can give his exclusive time to the duties
of the office, and is fully equipped to administer it in the in-
terests of the borough and all concerned.



For Burgess F. W. JONES

Subject to the decision of
the Republican voters at
the primary election
January 23,
1909.

One of the young hus-
band business men of Charleroi
Elected a member of Charleroi Council three years ago
Was elected President of the organization last
March, and is well conversant with public affairs. Has
served as Burgess during the absence of the regular Bur-
gess, at various times, and as the routine and duties of the
office well in hand. If elected to give every one
an equitable and reasonable deal, and to enforce the ordinances
fearlessly and impartially. His record as council man and
citizen is a recommendation.

all those that mentioned above
are to make a regular network of
trolley lines in Western Pennsylvania.

Has Jurisdiction.

In a letter to Health Officer W. M.
Darby, from the state veterinary de-
partment, reference is made to the
recent case of the Charleroi Meat Man
who was arrested and at a trial be-
fore the burgess fined \$25 and costs
for the selling of diseased meat. It
is learned that the case comes directly
under their jurisdiction and request is
made Mr. Darby that if there are
any such in the future that they be
reported to that department at once
to insure their receiving the proper
attention. Inasmuch as the case in
question had been tried and the man
fined before the burgess they state
that as far as they can see the depart-
ment could not have anything to do
with it now. The fine for the com-
mitting of an act of the kind is \$500,
or imprisonment for a period not ex-
ceeding one year. The following is an
extract from the act concerning just
such cases:

If any person shall sell or offer
for sale, or offer for transportation to
market, any meat or meat food
product which is diseased, "un-
sound," "unhealthy," "unwholesome,"
or otherwise unfit for human
food, knowing that such meat or
meat food product is intended for
human consumption, he shall be
guilty of a misdemeanor, and,
upon conviction thereof, shall be
punished by a fine not exceeding
five hundred dollars, or by im-
prisonment for a period not ex-
ceeding one year, or by both such
fine and imprisonment.

Electric Sparks
Sometimes you meet a lovely maid
Whose beauty has no taint
And get a sudden shock because
You hear her say, "I ain't!"

"Now my dear rector, I want a
little spiritual advice. You see,
Mrs. Delancey goes in for Scientific
Panthism. Mrs. Van Giltner goes in
for Swamiism, and Mrs. Simpkins
for New Thought. Now, can you
tell me what is the very latest thing
in religion?"

Some one must have blundered at
Washington, else Ernie would surely
have gotten his river bill through.

If the boating stage keeps up the
coal men won't care so much about a
river bill.

If a fellow wants to be absolutely
sure of making a name for himself he
ought to be a sign painter.

Some people would rather be po-
lite, and others would rather tell the
truth.

The man has yet to be born who
knows more than he thinks he knows.
Some young fellows simply fall in
love, and others seem to jump in with
both feet.

A contemporary expresses its
opinion that "President Roosevelt's
danger in Africa will be more
from the banquet table than from the
untamed creatures of the jungle."
Which evidently does not mean the
banquet at which the President might
afford the piece de resistance.

It is encouraging to hear that classic
opera has so far progressed in Phila-
delphia that Impresario Hammerstein
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posit, or even less. Come in
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Men's finest dress shoes in Pat. Colt, Vici, and Velour calf, all styles and all sizes, worth \$3, sale price **\$1.95**



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Children's Rubbers in all styles... **29c**
 Children's Button Arctics... **98c**
 Men's Arctics, one buckle... **98c**
 Men's Rubbers, Regular 75c grade... **59c**
 Men's Felt Boots, Snag Proof... **\$1.95**
 Men's Gum Boots, regular 3 00 grade... **1.95**

LADIES' RUBBERS

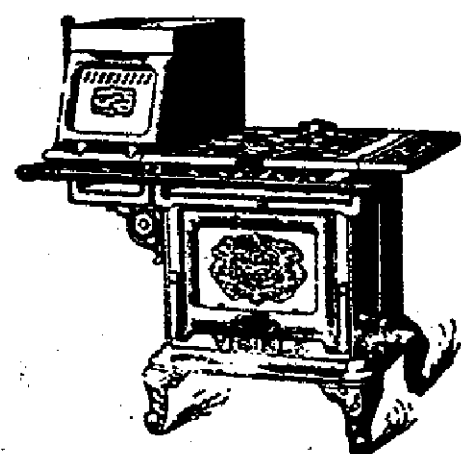
Storm or low, in all sizes and widths. Regular 60c rubbers

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Ladies' Arctics, 2 buckle... **98c**
 Ladies' Gum Boots... **\$1.95**
 Children's Gum Boots, sizes 5 to 10 1-2... **98c**
 Ladies' Tan Rubbers, to match tan shoes.
 Children's Felt Boots... **98c**
 Boys' Military Waterproof Leggings... **29c**
 Children's Jersey Leggings... **19c**
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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The following officers have been elected by the Men's league of the M. E. church to serve for the next six months and will be installed by the pastor, Rev. A. M. Doak, of the church on Sunday evening at 7:30. President, W. S. James; vice president, C. C. Crill; treasurer, A. H. Bosson, secretary, M. W. Snyder; first assistant secretary, Sam Cheshure; second assistant secretary, Frank Ballia.

In connection with the installation services the following arranged program will be carried out:

Organ Prelude—Miss Elsie Crill.
 Anthem, "God Be Merciful"—Choir.
 Prayer—Rev. A. M. Doak.
 Hymn—Congregation.
 Talk, "Methodist Brotherhood"—"Shall We Unite"—C. C. Crill.
 Solo, Selected—A. H. Bosson.
 Talk, "Our Duty to Our League"—M. W. Snyder.
 Male Quartet, M. E. Quartet.
 Hymn—Congregation.
 Organ Solo—Miss Elsie Crill.
 Talk, "How Can we Increase our Usefulness"—A. H. Bosson.
 Anthem, "His Name Shall Have Our Praise"—Choir.
 Talk, "First years work of our League"—Joseph Kenyon.
 Duet, Selected—Mrs. A. H. Bosson, Miss Alma James.
 Installation of Officers—Rev. A. M. Doak.
 Mixed Quartet—"Like as a Father"—Miss Mary Richardson, Mrs. A. H. Bosson, C. A. Fisher, William Pearson.
 Talk, "Our First Duty"—Mr. Sam Cheshure.
 Solo, Selected—Dora James.
 Talk, "The Italians at Work"—Mr. Frank Ballia.
 Anthem, "If I Forget"—Choir.
 Organ Postlude—Miss Elsie Crill.

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THE CAUSE OF COLDS

Good Advice Regarding the Prevention of Coughs and Colds

If people would only properly fortify and strengthen their system, about 98 per cent of coughs, colds and pneumonia might be avoided. These troubles are simply the result of weakness, which produces a catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane, which is as an internal skin of the body. When this skin is weakened, it becomes infected with germs which are carried through the system by the blood. These parasites attack and break these delicate tissues and set up a soreness which produce what is in reality an external scrofula.

The only thing that will cure coughs and colds and prevent pneumonia is a medication which is absorbed and carried by the blood so that the diseased membrane is disinfected, cleaned, soothed and healed.

We have a remedy which we honestly believe infallible and unsurpassable for the prevention and cure of coughs, colds and all catarrhal conditions. It is the prescription of a famous physician, who has an enviable reputation of 30 years of cures gained through the use of this medicine. We promise to either effect a cure in every case or make no charge for the medicine. We urge everybody in Charleroi who has need of such a medicine to try Rexall Muc-Tone.

It stands to reason that we could not afford to make statements and give our own personal guarantee to this remedy if we were not absolutely positive that we could substantiate our claim in every particular, and we see no reason why anyone should hesitate to accept our offer and try it. We have two sizes of Rexall Muc-Tone. Prices 50c. and \$1.00. Sometimes a 50c. bottle is sufficient for a cure. As a general thing, the most chronic case is cured with an average of three large bottles. Remember, the medicine will cost you nothing if you are not satisfied in every particular. John W. Carroll, Charleroi, Pa.

On your way to or from home, drop in at Hotel Charleroi and call for J. W. HARPER whiskey. Famous for its exquisite flavor. 123-12-11

"Billy the Kid" at the Coyle.

One of the important productions of the early season is that of a new melodrama "Billy the Kid" by Joseph Sattley and Walter Woods. There are four acts of the play and the scenes are all laid in New Mexico. Dramatic authors have found the Western country a fertile field in which to place the action of their plays and that the public appreciates these locales is evinced by the overwhelming success, which has been accorded such plays as "The Squaw Man," "The Virginian," "Arizona" and others of the like. Their story told in "Billy the Kid" is said to be an exceptionally interesting one, the author being a native son of the West. Types there are plenty, and strong dramatic situations and climaxes with a deal of comedy relief. At the Coyle theatre, Thursday, January 21.

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Administratrix's Notice.

Notice of James O. Heston, late of the County of Allegheny, deceased. Letters of administration, to have a late having been granted to the undersigned administratrix, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, are requested to make the same known, and all persons indebted there-to to make prompt payment to DELIA F. HALSTEAD, Administratrix. Charleroi, Pa. D. M. McOSKEY, Attorney. D-25-J-2-9-17-25-30

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Monday, January 18th, 1909

The Bostonian Singers

In Excerpts from the Following Operas in Exact Costumes and Scenic Effects. Seats on sale now at Light's drug store, Monessen. An exceptional opportunity to hear the beautiful favorite selections of the Standard Operas with first class soloists.

Robin Hood—DeKoven A. Hunting Chorus B. Armorer's Song C. O Promise Me D. Brown October Ale	Il Trovatore—Verdi A. "Miserere Reone" B. "Sire di le Vampe" C. "Home To Our Mountains"
Martha—Flotow A. "Letzte Rose Wie Magst Du" (Last Rose of Summer) B. "Ach! So Fromm, Ach! So Teht." (ARINO Pu el)	Carmen—Bizet A. "Habanera"—Chorrette Song B. Duet "Parle Moi de ma Mere" C. Torador Song

Bohemian Girl—Balfe
A. "The Heart Bowed Down"
B. "I Dreamt that I Dwelt in Marble Halls"
C. "Then You'll Remember Me"
D. "Hills Forever Past"

Finale—Quartet From Rigoletto

MADAME CHARLOTTE-GUYER GEORGE—Mezzo Soprano, formerly of the Henry W. Savage production of "Parsifal", singing the role of "Kundry."

MME. ADELAIDE THOMAS ROBB—Prima Donna Soprano, formerly of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York, singing the role of "Waltz" in "Di Walkure."
 CHARLES ZULANF, Bass. EDWARD SHIRLEY, Tenor.
 EDGAR DWIGHT MASON, Baritone.

Interesting Events

OUR CARPET REDUCTIONS

CARPET DEPARTMENT REDUCTIONS

In this department we offer you some unusual values to close out in our January Clearance. It will pay carpet and rug customers to look in upon us now. Our new Spring goods are arriving, and we need the room, so out go the odds and ends and short pieces. There'll be many bargains here for shrewd shoppers, so come to-day.

Body Brussel Carpets

The finest grade of five frame Body Brussel Carpets, were \$1.50, made, laid and lined for only **\$1.18**
 Five rolls Smith's Ten Wire Tapestry Brussel Carpets, were \$1.00 a yard, now **83c**
 Five rolls Smith's Axminster Carpets, were \$1.25 per yard, now go at **\$1.05**
 Five rolls Velvet Carpets that were \$1.25 per yard, now go at **\$1.05**
 Five rolls Smith's F. Tapestry Brussel Carpets, were 75c a yard, now go at **59c**
 Seven rolls heavy all wool Ingrains Carpets, were 80c and 85c, now go at **65c**
 Three-ply all wool Ingrain Carpets, were \$1.00 per yard. Clearance price **80c**
 One roll Rag Carpet of extra quality, 60c value at **48c**

Hassocks

One lot 50c Hassocks or Carpet Foot Stools. Clearance sale at **35c**

Room Size Rugs

Ten Tapestry Brussels room size Rugs, an all wool top. Come in bright, clean, pretty Persian and floral patterns, and are regular at \$12.50. Clearance sale they go at **\$9.48**

Matting

25c, 30c and 35c, go at **One-fourth Off**
 Two rolls Fibre Matting, 40c grade at **29c**

Oil Cloths

A few patterns, our best 65c oil cloth, two yards wide, at **48c**

Window Shades

One lot of odd shades, were 25c, 35c, 40c, 50, go at **15c**
 10c curtain poles at **8c**
 15c curtain poles at **11c**
 Extension Brackets, brass, a pair **8c**

A SPECIAL SALE OF DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

During our Clearance Sale you will find some extraordinary bargains in Dress Goods. We call your particular attention to a few of these wonderful values.

One lot of soft finish Silk in blue, red and green, and white and grey Moure. Special price, per yard, **35c**
 60c quality pink and light blue Taffeta at **38c**
 Changeable Silk in blue, red and brown, were 75c and 85c, now **50c**
 Pink, brown and light green Taffeta, 75c and 85c values at **48c**
 \$1.00 Silks in fancy checks and stripes at **75c**
 30c Lining Silks, all colors, special price **25c**
 One piece black Taffeta, \$1.35 regular, now **98c**
 One piece black Taffeta, \$1.50 regular, now **1.15**

Silk Eoline, pink, light blue, **35c**
 65c value, now **35c**
 few pieces plaid, 25c value, at **19c**
 One piece 54 inch Gray Plaid Dress Goods, \$1.50 value, at **75c**
 One piece Gray Mixed Dress Goods, \$1.00 value, at **50c**
 One piece black striped Zibiline, 52 inches wide, \$2.00 value, at **75c**
 One piece \$1.25 gray mixed Dress Goods, 44 inch, goes at **65c**
 One piece 75c blue mixed goods, 44 inch, at **39c**
 44 inch blue Serge, 75c value, special at **47c**

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Men's and Ladies, Boys' and Girls'

\$6.00 men's Nettleton shoes now **\$4.98**
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 4.00 shoes now **3.48**
 9.00 men's high top shoes warranted waterproof, now **6.50**
 7.00 grades now **5.25**
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Boys' and Girls' High Top Shoes at greatly reduced prices

In our basement annex

Men's best quality rubbers at **75, 85, 90c**
 Ladies' rubbers at **35, 50, 60, 75c**
 Misses' and Childrens, rubbers, 10c pr up
 Misses' and Childrens' leggings from **18c** a pair up.

Children's Gum Boots **98c**
 Misses' Gum Boots **\$1.25**
 Boys' Gum Boots **1.50 up**

Ladies, misses' and childrens' Warm Lined Juliets, all sizes, **48c pr. and up.**

Ladies' High Top Shoes

\$5.00 grades now **\$4.00**
 4.00 grades now **3.48**
 3.50 grades now **2.98**
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Positively the Most Important Sale of the Year

You will Save from 30 per cent to 50 per cent on Every Purchase You Make During this Great Sale.

Finding our stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Overcoats, Pants, Furnishings, etc., entirely too large, we are going to offer the same to the public at prices that will prove irresistible.

In our immense stock you will find a choice assortment of goods that are all new, stylish and up-to-date. We carry only the products of reliable makers, which we stand back of with our personal guarantee. Don't fail to take advantage of this great opportunity to buy these high grade goods at prices that will actually mean dollars saved to you. We advise you to come and take advantage of the wonderful values we offer.

Men's Suits—Regularly Sold at

\$22 now \$15.00 \$20 now \$13.50
 \$16 now \$10.95 \$15 now \$10.00

Men's Overcoats and Rain Coats—Regularly sold at

\$10 now \$ 7.50 \$15 now \$ 9.50
 \$18 now \$10.50 \$22 now \$15.00

Men's Pants, worth up to \$2.00 pair now **95c**

Boys' Suits from \$1.50 to \$3.50 worth up to \$6.00

Men's Dress Shirts, all sizes and styles. Regular \$1.00 values now **69c**

"Sweet Orr" Union Made Dress Shirts, 50c and 75c values, now **35c**

Men's Underwear, fleeced lined, all sizes, worth 50c to 75c now **35c**

Men's Underwear, natural wool, \$1.25 value, now **89c**

Boys' Caps, worth 25c now **17c**

All our Men's Caps, worth 5c to 75c now **35c**

Men's Neckwear, regular 25c and 50c values **18c**

Men's Handkerchiefs, 10c value, now **3c**

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FREE BRIDGE QUESTION AGAIN BEING REVIVED

Residents of Belle Vernon and Speers Think It is High Time Something Should be Done in the Matter of Vital Interest to Them

The question of the freeing of the Belle Vernon-Speers bridge is being revived again after having apparently died down after the meeting of the viewers on July 26th last. Nothing has been done in the matter, and it is evident that at least some of the viewers wish to have the matter dropped altogether. The residents of Speers and Belle Vernon are getting anxious about whether the bridge matter is to be taken up again at all. At the meeting in last July it was arranged that the viewers and their attorneys would come together again at Washington at a later date. This meeting for some reason was postponed, and the postponement is still in order.

The place for a meeting to be held is on the ground where all parties concerned would see the evident need of freeing of the bridge, and the viewers could take action accordingly. Some of the citizens who were most interested at the convention in July are talking of again taking up the matter and have the attorneys, Alex. Temption of Washington and T. J. Jones of Uniontown call a meeting.

HISTORICAL OLD PIERS OF B. & O. "SHORT LINE" TO BE TORN DOWN

The historic old B. and O. piers, which have been standing since '88 in the Monongahela river at Coal Center will be torn down by the government, work to begin on Monday. The government boat, the Theodore Swan, under Captain W. H. Shanoun has been ordered there and will have charge of the work. The piers have been for a long time a hindrance to navigation and the rivermen are glad to see them removed.

The piers as stated in the pre-

COMMITTEE WORKING TOWN IN SYSTEMATIC MANNER

Body Having Charge of the Securing of Names on Petition For New Station Hard at Work and are Attaining Results--Meeting Next Tuesday

The committee of citizens consisting of George S. Micht, chairman, Dr. Frank Crow, F. W. Jones, J. K. Hein, Harry Zellers, A. H. Furrong, Geo. Fenn, Frank Bie, A. S. Mansfield, George Moody and George Dawson are working systematically, and are progressing well, and should by next Tuesday be finished.

Messrs. Zellers and Crow have been assigned to the McKean avenue district; Hein and Linn to Fallowfield avenue; Jones and Furrong to Washington avenue; Bly and Mansfield to Line 14 avenue; Moody and Dawson to Crest avenue and the hill.

A meeting of the committee will be held next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. While they have not yet any special report to make, the petition will then be sent to the chairman states that the work is progressing well, and should by next Tuesday be finished.

SURPRISE FOR MANY PATRONS

There was a surprise for many at the vaudeville show of Heaton and Vandergoult at the Turner hall last night. These two artists with a company of other performers who were stars in their particular lines gave an entertainment that was well worth the price of admission if not more.

Vandergoult gave an exhibition of blind reading that was well received. Mr. Heaton the chin balancer demonstrated his ability to balance numerous articles on his chin, from a small stick to a plow. He will balance an entire bedroom suite tonight.

Harry Salt, and the Brown family of musicians were well received.

Vandergoult's last act was the most entertaining. He escaped from a casket in a little less than five minutes. Besides this trick he got out of several pairs of handcuffs, a strait jacket, and when tied to a chair played several musical instruments. The entire show will be changed tonight.

REWARD OFFERED BY DEPARTMENT

The postoffice department offers a reward of \$200.00 for the apprehension of the thieves who robbed the postoffice at Scenery Hill two weeks ago, and George Renshaw, whose store was robbed at the same time, offers an additional \$100.00.

NO POLO; SPECIAL EVENING FOR THE SCHOOLS

The Washington Polo team in the West Penn league will not be brought to Charleroi, say the directors of the Charleroi Amusement company which owns the rink. This statement was made this morning. The reason assigned is that basketball is proving too interesting a game, and it is feared that if polo would be brought here it would mean a decrease in interest in this game and consequently a decrease in the earnings of the rink.

The directors have made an offer to Supt. W. D. Wright of the schools that one night a week, probably Friday, be devoted to the use of the schools exclusively. This night would be given over to them for the playing of basketball, skating or such as they saw fit. The proposition has been accepted by Mr. Wright on behalf of the schools.

DIVORCES OF FOUR FROM CHARLEROI

There were four divorces of couples from Charleroi yesterday at Washington. They are as follows:

James M. Kibler vs. Lillie H. Kibler, adultery. Parties were married on June 26, 1907. Libellant resides at Charleroi.

Joseph Finley Weir, of Charleroi vs. Sarah Haines Weir, cruel and barbarous treatment.

May Gillingham Lloyd, of Charleroi, vs. James H. Lloyd, desertion and non support.

Catherine Hilt, of Charleroi, vs. Conrad Hilt, cruel and barbarous treatment.

YOUNG CHARLEROI MAN DESIRES JURY TRIAL

Joseph Goshert, of Charleroi, has been arrested by Detective Wallace J. Hilton, of Monongahela, on a charge of assault and battery. The prosecutor is Florentine Bortmess, who it is said, charges the man with having assaulted her with criminal designs. The man appeared before Alderman Day and demanded a jury trial. Six men will be empaneled to hear the case before Alderman Day at ten o'clock on next Wednesday morning.

Mrs. McMansters and daughter Edna are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

FOOT WALK HAS BEEN OPENED TO PUBLIC

The Donora-Webster free bridge across the Monongahela river is now about completed and the footwalk has been thrown open to the public. The driveway is obstructed by machinery and material which have been attached by creditors of Robert Dunseath, Son and Co., contractors of the construction. As soon as the attachments are removed the stuff on the bridge will be cleared away.

AS GUESTS OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEE

On Saturday afternoon, January 23, Mrs. J. A. McIlvaine, wife of the president judge of Washington county and Mrs. Emma Speer, juvenile court probation officers, are to be in Charleroi the guests of the local juvenile court committee. An open meeting will be held then to which the public is extended a cordial invitation. The place at which the meeting will be held has not been arranged as yet but will be decided upon later. Mrs. McIlvaine will be the principal speaker in the afternoon.

Announcement.

The Mail is authorized to announce the candidacy of Dr. R. W. Wolfe of Taylorstown for the office of Director of the Poor at the primary in June next. Dr. Wolfe is one of the best known residents of the county and in his home town where he is a practitioner he is especially popular. He has been one of the leading physicians of that place for the past 20 years and for the past 5 years has been physician of the children's home. By this he gained a ready knowledge of the workings of the institution. Dr. Wolfe has been an active worker of the Republican party, and has been chairman for his precinct for many years. It is hoped that the office he is now in is to be the office he will be in for many years.

GUM BOOTS

Misses' and Children's gum boots, just like cut. Sizes 5 to 10's--10's to 2's for today and Monday only--98 cents pair--Sample Show. Store, you fall, 1000 Broadway Ave., New York.

SAYS THERE IS MISUNDERSTANDING

Monongahela, Jan. 16.—Select Councilman John A. Smith, who was responsible for the information which resulted in the wholesale arrest of Monongahela's city fathers last night and who is himself among the councilmen charged with neglect of duty in connection with the failure to make improvements on Hillman street, today made a statement explaining his position in the matter. In part Mr. Smith says:

"The suits have caused much misunderstanding. My object was not to bring the office holders to a realization of their duties or to bail them into court, but as a member of council and a citizen I felt it my duty to give the information as any good citizen should. I do not desire to secure damages, but want to see the street improved."

The improvement of Hillman street would be of considerable benefit to Mr. Smith as he is the owner of a coal bank to which this street is the direct route.

ATHENA CLUB IS MEETING TODAY

The Athena Club is meeting this afternoon in the rooms of the Merchants association. The program of the meeting which is being carried out follows. It is very interesting. The roll call will be answered by the names of historic trees.

Conservation of Natural Resources.—Mrs. Johnston: Scenic America.—Mrs. McCloskey: Travelogues.—Club members, Beginning with "A Honey-moon Breakfast in Four States"—Mrs. Keffer.

LADIES PETITION FOR A RAILROAD STATION

The members of the Friday Afternoon club of California, have issued a petition to the Pennsylvania Railroad company to erect a new station at that place. California has a worse looking station than Charleroi but then it is a much smaller place than Charleroi, and does not need the accommodations that this place does.

For health and happiness—DeWitt's Little Early Risers—pleasant little liver pills, the best made. Sold by Piper Bros.

CORONER WILL INVESTIGATE CASE

Coroner James Heffran was notified yesterday of the death of little John Kuchara, the 3-year-old son of Mrs. Anna Kuchara, of Charleroi. The lad died Thursday night as the result of burns received on December 28, while playing about a large fire near his home. Coroner Heffran has set no time for the inquest.

A number of children had been playing about the fire when the man dressed as Santa Claus, representing Adolph Beigel's came along. This attracted the attention of the children and they started in pursuit with the exception of little John Kuchara and another lad of his age. Soon some person was attracted by the cries of the boy and discovered that he was on fire. The flames were extinguished, but he was so badly burned that death resulted.

Lover

Lover, Pa., Jan. 16.—Elizabeth, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Young is ill.

A party was held at the home of Mr. Frederick of Garwood, last night. Miss Elizabeth Carson is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. David Duval of Charleroi.

Mrs. Valoren Smallwood and daughter, Mrs. Maurice Cripe spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Herbert Carson near Bentleyville.

The young folks are receiving invitations to a party to be held at the home of John W. Carson next Friday evening.

Miss Stella Robinson who has been on the sick list is able to be out again.

Jefferson, son of Jefferson Devall, near Jonestown, is ill.

Sarah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval, near Ebenezer church, who has been very ill of pneumonia is some better.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of Amos Bonnell of Gallatin. Mr. Bonnell is suffering from blood poison. He and his family were former residents of this place and are well known here. Miss Maggie Bonnell a daughter, of this place, has been called to his bedside.

Mrs. M. J. McGee and daughter Mamie of Fallowfield avenue were guests last night at a theatre party at the Alvin theatre, Pittsburgh given by Miss Lydia Redlick of Pittsburgh.

Miss Georgia Parsons returned yesterday afternoon from Donora where she attended on the previous night a concert given by the Donora club.

WORSHIP IN THE CHARLEROI CHURCHES

Episcopal.

Holy communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Morning prayer, anti communion service and sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Life is What We Make It." Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "On the Law of God and of Man." Rev. Lucius W. Shepley, rector.

Methodist.

Sunday school 9:30. Sacred Overture by the Orchestra, "Beautiful Home of Paradise." Preaching at 10:45, subject of sermon, "The Way to Honor." Sermonette to the children, "Building Castles." Men's league at 2:30. Epworth league at 6:30. The evening service at 7:30 will be in charge of the Men's league. All are invited.

First Presbyterian

Morning subject "An Eccentric Man." Evening, "Saint With a Crooked Path." Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45 o'clock, leader Miss Katherine McPherson. Junior Endeavor at 2 o'clock. Sunday school at 4:45.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Bible school at 9:45; preaching service at 11 and 7:30. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. A cordial welcome to all. Rev. G. G. Kerr, pastor.

Lutheran

Services in Trust Company hall. Sunday school at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30 o'clock. Junior Luther league at 2 o'clock. Leader, Ruth Heupel. Luther league at 6:30. Subject "Methods of Bible Study." Leader Ellis L. Richards. A cordial welcome to all.

Social.

A social was held last night at the home of Miss Mildred Lowstetter on Fallowfield avenue by the Epworth League of the Methodist church. A fine time was had by all, the evening being spent in various ways of amusement.

Miss Nellie Steele left last evening for Uniontown where she will spend Sunday.

Charles Fries has accepted a position as apprentice at Schafer's Jewelry establishment.

GOOD RESULTS FOR FIRST WEEK

The first week of the special Evangelistic services, being conducted at the First Christian church, by the Pastor, H. C. Bobbitt, and song leader Clarence Hunter, have resulted in twenty-four accessions to the church. Every service has been fruitful of concessions, and in spite of the weather conditions an increasingly large congregation has been in attendance. Sunday's program will be as follows: Sunday 11 a. m., "The Foolish Husbandsmen." 2 p. m., meeting of men, subject, "The Work of a Man." 7:30 p. m., subject, "What will you do with Jesus?" the evening service the ordinance of baptism will be administered to a number of converts.

The Protected Home Circle last night at their meeting in their hall in the Zollner building installed the officers elected recently for the ensuing year. They are as follows: Past president, Margaret Booth; president, Laura M. Eckels; vice president, Mina Brown; guardian, Mary Dunmire; secretary, Robert Craig; accountant, George Gunderman; treasurer, Elizabeth Riggle; chaplain, Bertha Blanchard; guide, Elizabeth Coats; companion, Emile Velletay; sentinel, Eugene Velletay; woman, Charles Stroud; trustees, Bert Mitchell, John McIlvaine, and Frank Bly.

After the business session a social session was held. During this hour dancing and games were indulged in. Lunch was served.

Homer Porter of Tarentum accepted a position here at the Pittsburgh Plate Glass works as draughtsman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter, of McKean avenue and Seventh street last evening at their home entertained at six o'clock dinner. The affair was very pleasant. There were covers laid for 14. Mrs. Slaughter entertained her guests throughout the evening.

President Tendered Surprise.

Last evening the Ladies Aid society of the Christ Lutheran church gave a pleasant surprise to the newly elected president, Mrs. D. F. Worthington, at her home on McKean avenue. There were 35 members and friends present. As an expression of the love and esteem in which Mrs. Worthington is held she was presented with a handsome tankard and beautiful cream and sugar set. A delightful time was spent. Refreshments were served.

J. K. Toner, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

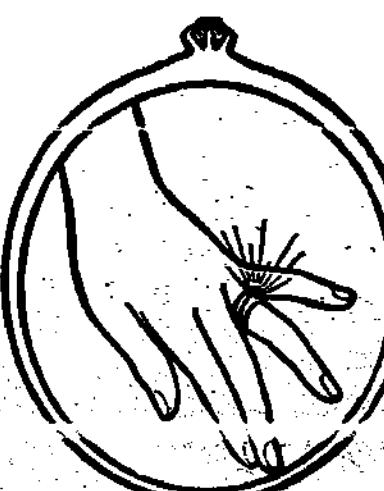
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Jan. 16 in History.

1794—Edward Gibbon, historian, au-
thor of "The Decline and Fall of
the Roman Empire," died; born
1737.

1807—Charles Henry Davis, rear ad-
miral, U. S. N., born in Boston;
died 1877.

1807—Joel T. Headley, the historian,
died; born 1813.

1808—General Christopher Colon Au-
gur, veteran of the Mexican and
civil wars, died in Washington;
born 1821.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:54, rises 7:17; moon rises
11:30 a. m.; moon's age 25 days.

Jan. 23 in History.

1516—Death of Ferdinand, consort of
Isabella and patron of Columbus.

1806—William Pitt, the younger, Brit-
ish statesman, died; born 1759. The
second William Pitt was the son
of Lord Chatham, the friend of
the American colonies. He enter-
ed parliament at 22 and at 25 was
the most powerful subject in En-
gland.

1813—George C. Seng, "signer" for
Pennsylvania, died; born 1739.

1892—Dr. Edward A. MacDowell, noted
American pianist and composer,
died in New York city; born 1860.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:03, rises 7:13; moon sets
7:15 p. m.; planet Mercury visible low
in the west after sunset.

GOOD EVENING.

This golden moment is ours to shape
as we please. The past is beyond
reaching; the future is not ours.—
anonymous.

Key Mergers and Systems

Electric Railway projects are many,
and some of the proposed ones are
being carried out, so that it looks as
if the future traffic of the country will
be largely by electricity. In the past
few years rapid strides have been
made in the electrifying of numerous
systems all over the country, and at
the present time there are more trolley
roads in the United States than one
could name in a day. The recent
merger of the Donora and Eldora com-
pany was an important one, more so
than would be at first thought. It
means the completion of a line in the
not very distant future of a loop from
Pittsburg, through McKeesport to
Irwin and West Newton, then to
Donora and to Eldora where it will
connect with the Pittsburg-Charleroi
line. This will make an immense
loop and the advantages will be mani-
fested.

There is talk of a line to be built
from Uniontown to Morgantown, and
a West Penn company's line to be
extended from Belle Vernon to Union-
town. This as will be readily seen
would increase the trolley traffic in
this part of the state and establish a
through service from Charleroi to
Morgantown. Then with the talk of
a line to be put through to Washing-
ton, and the one already completed
from there to the city of Pittsburg,
and the numerous lines along the three
main trunk lines, would it



FOR TAX COLLECTOR Of Charleroi G. W. Dawson

Subject to the decision of the
Republican voters at the
primary election Saturday,
January 23, 1909

G. W. Dawson, who seeks the Republican nomination for
tax collector for the Borough of Charleroi, has had a business
career which amply qualifies him for the position. He served
three years as clerk on the packet line between Pittsburg and
Morgantown, after which he was promoted to general agent at
the Pittsburg offices. He filled this position two years and was
again promoted, this time to superintendent of the line. After
a year's service in this capacity he was obliged to give up in-
door work on account of failing health. For the past three
years he has been located in Charleroi, where his family resid-
ed. Mr. Dawson has always been a Republican and worked
for the interests of the party and good citizenship. If nomi-
nated and elected he can give his exclusive time to the duties
of the office, and is fully equipped to administer it in the in-
terests of the borough and all concerned.



For Burgess F. W. JONES

Subject to the decision of
the Republican voters at
the primary election
January 23,
1909.

One of the young hustling business men of Charleroi
Elected a member of Charleroi Council three years ago
Was elected President of the organization last
March, and is well conversant with public affairs. Has
served as Burgess during the absence of the regular Bur-
gess, at various times, and has the routine and duties of the
office well in hand. If elected to give every one
an equitable and economical, and to enforce the ordinances
fearlessly and impartially. His record as council man and
citizen is perfect.

all those that mentioned above
are to make a regular network of
trolley lines in Western Pennsylvania.

Has Jurisdiction.

In a letter to Health Officer W. M.
Darby, from the state veterinary de-
partment, reference is made to the
recent case of the Charleroi Meat Man
who was arrested and at a trial be-
fore the burgess fined \$25 and costs
for the selling of diseased meat. It
is learned that the case comes directly
under their jurisdiction and request is
made Mr. Darby that if there are
any such in the future that they be
reported to that department at once
to insure their receiving the proper
attention. Inasmuch as the case in
question had been tried and the man
fined before the burgess they state
that as far as they can see the depart-
ment could not have anything to do
with it now. The fine for the com-
mitting of an act of the kind is \$500,
or imprisonment for a period not ex-
ceeding one year. The following is an
extract from the act concerning just
such cases:

"If any person shall sell or offer
for sale, or offer for transportation
product which is diseased, un-
sound, unhealthful, unwholesome,
or otherwise unfit for human
food, knowing that such meat or
meat food product is intended for
human consumption, he shall be
guilty of a misdemeanor, and,
upon conviction thereof, shall be
punished by a fine not exceeding
five hundred dollars, or by im-
prisonment for a period not ex-
ceeding one year, or by both such
fine and imprisonment."

Electric Sparks

Sometimes you meet a lovely maid
Whose beauty has no taint
And get a sudden shock because
You hear her say, "I ain't!"

"Now my dear rector, I want a
little spiritual advice. You see,
Mrs. Delancey goes in for Scientific
Panthism. Mrs. Van Giltner goes in
for Swamism, and Mrs. Simpkins
for New Thought. Now, can you
tell me what is the very latest thing
in religion?"

Some one must have blundered at
Washington, else Ernie would surely
have gotten his river bill through.

If the boating stage keeps up the
coal men won't care so much about a
river bill.

If a fellow wants to be absolutely
sure of making a name for himself he
ought to be a sign painter.

Some people would rather be po-
lite, and others would rather tell the
truth.

The man has yet to be born who
knows more than he thinks he knows.

Some young fellows simply fall in
love, and others seem to jump in with
both feet.

A contemporary expresses its
opinion that "President Roosevelt's
danger in Africa will be more
from the banquet table than from the
untamed creatures of the jungle."
Which evidently does not mean the
banquet at which the President might
afford the piece of resistance.

It is encouraging to hear that classic
opera has at last progressed in Phila-
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has been enabled to secure a mar-
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posit, or even less. Come in
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Martha—Flotow <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. "Letzte Rose Wie Magst Du"— (Last Rose of Summer)B. "Ach! so Fromm. Ach! so Takt." (Ah! so Pure)	Carmen—Bizet <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. "Habanera"—"Charlotte Song"B. Duet "Parle Moi de ma Mere"C. Torreador Song
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